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## RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION **UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

This paper is in response to the Final Rejection contained in the official Office Communication dated 08/25/2004. Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested to place the application in condition for allowance, or in the alternative, to place the claims in better condition for consideration on appeal.